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ANNOUNCE COMPLETION OF MORE POWER PLANTS

LARGEST THERMAL POWER PLANT COMPLETED -- Ljubljana, Slovenski Porocevalec, 4 Dec 50

On 29 November 1950, the thermal power plant at Veliki Kostolac was completed. Together with the plant at Mali Kostolac it is the largest existing source of power in Yugoslavia, as it alone has a capacity of 44,000 kilowatts, which is more than the plants in Trbovlje, Belgrade, and Zagreb combined.

A high-tension power line system has been built from Kostolac to 1 grade, to the Vojvodina (to Vrbas and Zrenjanin), to Titovo Uzice, and to Nis a. Leskovac. The plants also supply power to the Bor copper mine by means of the high-tension power line which runs over the Homoljske Planine (Mountains). Later, the new plant at Kostolac will be connected with the Vlasina-Vrla. power-plant system and with the plants at Ovcar Banja, Medjuvrsje and Zvornik. It and the thermal power plant which is being built in the center of the Kolubara coal field will supply this field with power.

NEW POWER PLANTS BEGIN OPERATION -- Belgrade, Borba, 10 Dec 50

Titograd, 9 December -- A 500-kilowatt power plant was recently put into operation in Titograd. It will supply power to the population and factories of Titograd. Six substations have been erected in the city thus far, and a power-line net is being set up.

Another power plant recently began operation in Pljevlja. It produces six times as much power as the old plant.

The Pljevlja-Gradac-Suplja Stijena high-tension power line has been set up to facilitate the operation of the lead and zinc mine. The villages of Zidovici, Durutovici, and Radosavac have been electrified.

The above power plants, together with the power plants at Musovica Rijeka and Kotor, will be consolidated into a single power-plant system after the power plants at Slap and Glava Zete are completed.

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ANOTHER TURBOUNIT INSTALLED -- Belgrade, Borba, 9 Dec 50

Zajecar, 8 December -- Turbines for the second turbogenerator unit of the hydroelectric power plant in Sokolovica near Zajecar are being installed. This unit, which will be in operation during the first 3 months of 1951, will have a capacity of 1,700 kilowatts. The capacity of the first unit is 640 kilowatts.

YUGOSLAV REFINERIES FULFILL PLAN -- Zagreb, Vjesnik, 8 Dec 50

Belgrade, 7 December -- Yugoslav petroleum refineries fulfilled their 1950 plan on 2 December 1950. The 1950 plan was 37 percent greater than the 1949 plan. This year, these refineries have processed twice as much petroleum as before the war.

The increased petroleum production has made it possible to eliminate imports of basic petroleum derivatives, such as gas oil and axle grease. This year's petroleum production facilitated the export of certain quantities of special gasoline and bearing oil amounting to over one million dollars.

BITUMINOUS COAL DISCOVERED IN DALMATIA -- Belgrade, Borba, 11 Dec 50

Split, 10 December -- Bituminous coal deposits were discovered recently; in the Dalmatian villages of Miskovici, Golubici, and Zelengrad. Lignite deposits were found in the village of Bilisane.

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